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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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1. claims: 11 (completely); 1-10,13-21 (partially)

Use of the compounds falling under formula VI for treating a cardiovascular, gastrointestinal or lower urinary tract disorder and the compounds of formula VI per se

2. claims: 12 (completely); 1-10,13-21 (partially)

Use of the compounds falling under formula IV-P for treating a cardiovascular, gastrointestinal or lower urinary tract disorder and the compounds of formula IV-P per se

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